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In re application of James T. Kealey, et al.

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For: INHIBITORY POLYNUCLEOTIDES DIRECTED AGAINST THE RNA COMPONENT OF TELOMERASE

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendments.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification by inserting on the line following the title:

-- CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application is a Continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/770,564, filed December 20, 1996.--.

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